

AILSWORTH PARISH COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

Councillors are hereby summoned to attend the Council Meeting of Ailsworth Parish Council held at The Cedar Centre on

Monday 19th January 2026 at 7.30pm

for the purpose of transacting the following business:

1. ATTENDANCE

- a. To record those present & apologies for absence.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND DISPENSATIONS

- a. To receive Declarations of Interest from Councillors in items on the agenda.
- b. To receive written requests for Dispensations for Disclosable Pecuniary Interests.
- c. To grant any requests for Dispensation as appropriate.

3. OPEN FORUM

- a. Opportunity for public questions or presentations to the council.

4. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

- a. To confirm [Meeting Minutes of 15th December 2025](#) held at the Cedar Centre.

5. PLANNING MATTERS

- a. [Planning/tree applications log](#) – current log/status report.
- b. Planning/tree application decisions/status changes since the previous meeting –
 - (1) 25/01530/CTR - 78 Peterborough Road, Ailsworth - Fell x 2no. Leyland Cypress – **permitted.**
 - (2) [24/01440/FUL](#) - Land To The South Of Old Peterborough Road, Sutton - Change of use of land to cemetery including ceremony building, maintenance building, car parking and soft landscaping – **APC submitted their formal objection to PCC previously. Meeting at Sand Martin House deferred. Date tbc. Any update?**
- c. Planning/tree applications to consider since the previous meeting – **none.**
- d. Draft Local Plan (APC's comments on the three sites were submitted to PCC on 19th December).
- e. Neighbourhood plan.

7. **COMMUNITY MATTERS**

- a. CIL projects/spending ideas.
- b. Nature Recovery – noticeboard update – Cllr. Stalley.
- c. Improved/new signage for all parish land.
- d. Bus shelter names/memorial list – Cllr. Perkins to report.
- e. 16-acre field update and discussion.
- f. Rec maintenance and zip line – Clerk to report.

8. **HIGHWAYS AND ROAD SAFETY MATTERS**

- a. None.

9. **BURIAL GROUND MATTERS**

- a. Cemetery – see planning application mentioned above, item 5b(2).
- b. Provision of extra burial ground. APC has agreed to put the item on hold until the new church rector has taken over. **Ongoing item. Any update?**

10. **GOVERNANCE AND FINANCIAL MATTERS**

- a. [Unity Trust Current Account Statement](#) for December.
- b. [Unity Trust Deposit Account Statement](#) for December.
- c. Unity Trust Current Account [reconciliation](#) and [transactions](#) for December.
- d. Unity Trust Deposit Account [reconciliation](#) and [transactions](#) for December.
- e. Resignation of Cllr. Langston-Jones.
- f. Budget/precept form submission to PCC.
- g. Quarterly finance checker.
- h. Mowing tender quotes.
- i. New website (information audit and storage review) and email system.
- j. Invoices to be authorised for payment –
 - (a) [Clerk expenses](#) for December.
 - (b) [Nurture invoice](#) – December mowing - £324.30.

11. **COMMITTEE REPORTS/WORKING GROUPS**

- a. JPLG –
 - (1) Feedback from 15th January meeting.
- b. PLMG.

c. Parish Liaison meeting – date to be confirmed.

12. **ANY ADDITIONAL COUNCILLOR POINTS**

13. Date of next meeting - 16th February 2026.

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Clerk & RFO to Ailsworth Parish Council

14th January 2026